



AGENDA
GARDEN GROVE TRAFFIC COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING

SEPTEMBER 2, 2014 -6:00 P.M.

Community Meeting Center
11300 Stanford Avenue

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

ROLL CALL: Chair Rodriguez, Vice Chair Dalton, Commissioners: Arbgast, and Flatebo

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLIC
2. WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS
3. RECEIVE AND FILE MINUTES

July 1, 2014

4. DISCUSSION ITEMS
 - a. Bus Stop Relocation-Garden Grove Boulevard east of Euclid Street
 - b. Traffic Concerns-Orangewood Avenue and Monarch Street
 - c. Sidewalk request – Fairview Street –Downie Place to Bolivar Circle
5. MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS
6. MATTERS FROM STAFF
7. ADJOURNMENT The next regular meeting of the Garden Grove Traffic Commission will be adjourned to January 6, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center at 11300 Stanford Avenue, Garden Grove, CA 92840.

MINUTES

GARDEN GROVE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

September 2, 2014

A Regular Meeting of the Traffic Commission of the City of Garden Grove was called to order in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, on Tuesday, September 2, 2014, at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Chair Rodriguez, Vice Chair Dalton, Commissioner Arbgast and Commissioner Flatebo

ABSENT: NONE

ALSO PRESENT: Tony Aquino, Executive Secretary, Officer Adam Zmija, and Rosemarie Jacot, Recording Secretary

PLEDGE

Chair Rodriguez led The Pledge of Allegiance

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Craig Durfey spoke on bike safety and alternative transportation, bus stops, Safe Routes to school, and the Bike Master Plan.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

None

MINUTES

Receive and file the minutes from July 1, 2014

It was moved and seconded to receive and file the minutes from May 6, 2014

AYE-Chair Rodriguez
AYE-Vice Chair Dalton
AYE-Commissioner Arbgast
AYE-Commissioner Flatebo

ACTION: Approved

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

4-a. Bus Stop Relocation- Garden Grove Boulevard east of Euclid Street

The staff report dated September 2, 2014 was introduced.

The applicant for the relocation of the bus stop addressed the Commission to voice his concerns regarding the trespassing of the private property and the destruction/vandalism of public property at the location.

It was moved and seconded to accept staff's recommendation to deny the request to relocate the bus stop that is currently on the south side of Garden Grove Boulevard, east of Euclid Street.

AYE-Chair Rodriguez
AYE-Vice Chair Dalton
AYE-Commissioner Arbgast
AYE-Commissioner Flatebo

ACTION: Approved

4-b. Four-Way Stop ~ Orangewood Avenue and Monarch Street

The staff report dated September 2, 2014 was introduced.

The applicant addressed the Commission in favor of the four-way stop and voiced her concerns.

It was moved and seconded to accept staff's recommendation to install a four-way stop at the intersection of Orangewood Avenue and Monarch Street.

AYE-Chair Rodriguez
AYE-Vice Chair Dalton
AYE-Commissioner Arbgast
AYE-Commissioner Flatebo

ACTION: Approved

4-c. Installation of a paved sidewalk on the west side of Fairview Street between Bolivar Circle and Downie Place.

The staff report dated September 2, 2014 was introduced.

No member of the public spoke on this item.

Questions were raised as to the material of the sidewalk~ concrete vs. asphalt.

It was moved and seconded to accept staff's recommendation to install a paved sidewalk on the west side of Fairview Street between Bolivar Circle and Downie Place.

AYE-Chair Rodriguez
AYE-Vice Chair Dalton
AYE-Commissioner Arbgast
AYE-Commissioner Flatebo

ACTION: Approved

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MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Arbgast gave staff information on funding for alternative transportation.

Commission Dalton has not noticed any traffic concerns or issues at the new Walmart now that it is open.

MATTERS FROM STAFF

There will be new construction starting December 2014 on Brookhurst from Chapman to Katella.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:40p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rosemarie Jacob